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## **INTELLIGENCE REPORT**

COUNTRY China

DATE:

SUBJECT Military Information: Choushuitzu Airfield,  
Dairen Area

INFO. As Stated

DIST. 3 February 1947

ORIGIN As Stated

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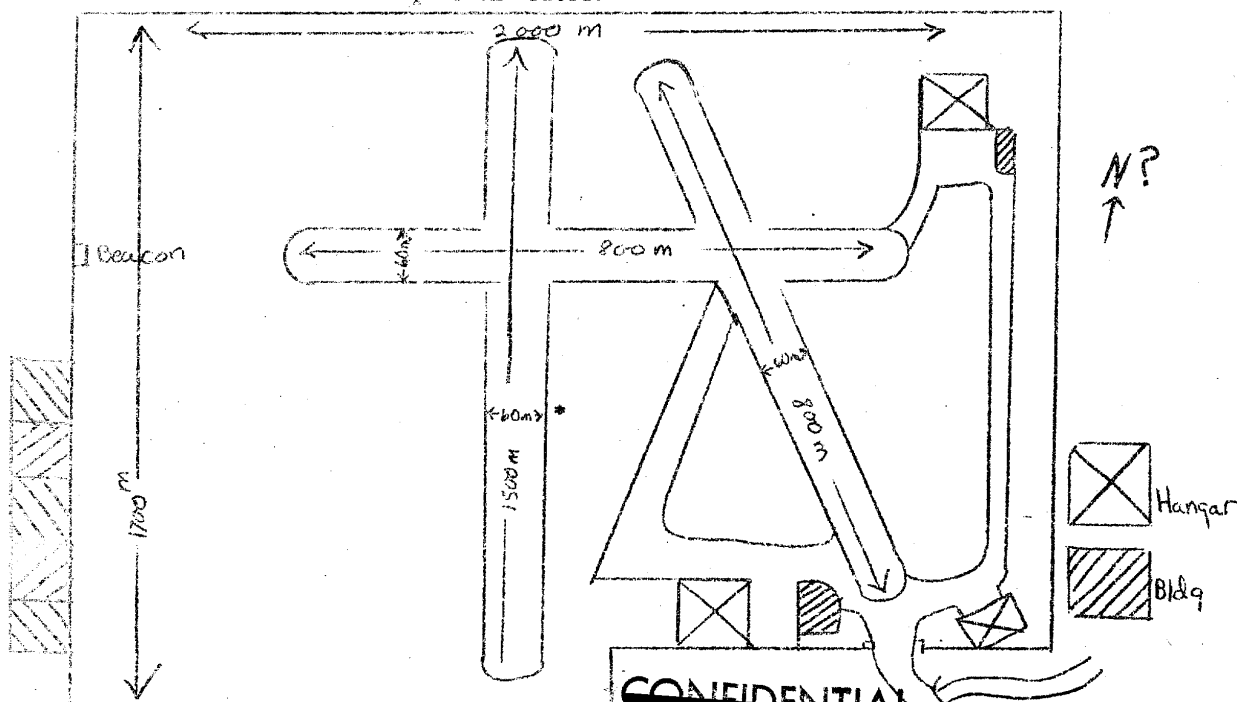
1. The Choushuitzu (121-34, 38-58) field is 2000 meters by 1700 meters in area. There are three paved runways, 1500 meters by 100 meters\*, 800 meters by 60 meters, and 800 meters by 60 meters. The field is suitable for medium sized planes, but it far from being ideal. The direction of the wind is southwest in the summer, and northwest during the remainder of the year. The approaches are made hazardous by cement chimneys, buildings, and the surrounding mountains. Since it is near the sea, there is a great deal of morning fog. **Note:** For these reasons it is thought that the field could never be used extensively. However, it has become the most important field on the Kwantung Peninsula.)

\* Does not agree with sketch

**Note:** Sketch differs from those previously reported; see

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Below is a sketch map of the field.



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2. The field lies one mile northwest of the Choushuitzu railway station. It extends two and one-half miles from east to west, and one and one-half miles from north to south. The direction of take-off is westward. There are now 220 planes parked on the field, including about 120 Model E-15 and E-17 fighters, and about fifty-three Model DE bombers. Three or four reconnaissance planes make daily flights. Barbed wire runs along the east side of the field. There are approximately forty staff sergeants, forty-five pilots, and 100 men of the Engineer Corps stationed on the field itself, and south of the field 400 troops are quartered in a school. 25X1X6

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3. The airfield is 8000 acres [?] 800 acres or 8000 meters [?] in area, and has two runways. There are four gasoline dumps and an observatory. There are anti-aircraft guns and garrison fortifications on the field. There are also 200 planes and 300 guards.

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